

REMARKS

The specification has been amended as described herein the add a brief description of the drawing and to correct typographical errors. Claims 1-15 are pending in the application. Claims 1 and 11-13 have been amended as described herein to clarify the subject matter which applicants regard as the invention. No new matter is believed to be added to the application.

I. REJECTIONS UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 112

The Office Action has rejected claims 1-13 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as allegedly being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention. Applicants respectfully disagree for the following reasons.

Claim 1 has been amended to replace the phrase “characterised in that” with the phrase “wherein” to clarify the claimed subject matter. As amended, claim 1 is definite, and thus, this rejection should be withdrawn.

Claim 11 has been amended to delete the parenthetical expression and clarify the claimed subject matter. As amended, claim 11 is definite, and thus, this rejection should be withdrawn.

Claim 12 has been amended to utilize Markush language with respect to the Cp’ portion of the recited formula. As amended, claim 12 is definite, and thus, this rejection should be withdrawn.

Claim 13 has been amended such that the claim is internally consistent, the phrase “ethylene and optionally at least one” being replaced with the phrase “ethylene or ethylene and at least one.” As amended, claim 13 is definite, and thus, this rejection should be withdrawn.

CONCLUSION

Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments and remarks enclosed herein, and that a Notice of Allowance be issued. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned if deemed useful to facilitate prosecution.

No fee is believed due with this Amendment; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

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